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FOLLOWING REPEAT TEHRAN 9338 ACTION SECSTATE INFO OECD

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QUOTE LIMITED OFFICIAL USE TEHRAN 9338

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN ETRD OECD IR

SUBJECT: GOI CONTRIBUTION TO IFAD

REF: TEHRAN 9275

1. EMB, THIS MORNING (SEPT15), RECEIVED FOLLOWING LETTER DATED  
SEPT 12 ADDRESSED TO THE AMB FROM MIN OF THE IMPERIAL COURT  
ASSADOLLAH ALAM:

2. BEGIN TEXT--QUOTE: DEAR MR AMBASSADOR: PURSUANT  
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TO MY LETTER OF 2ND MAY 1976, I HAVE THE HONOR TO INFORM

YOUR EXCELLENCY THAT FOLLOWING THE CONVERSATION OF HIS  
IMPERIAL MAJESTY THE SHAHANSHAH ARYAMEHR WITH SECRETARY  
OF STATE KISSINGER AND WITH DUR REGARD TO THE CONTENT OF  
YOUR MEMORANDUM OF 6TH SEPTEMBER 1976, THE IMPERIAL IRANIAN  
GOVERNMENT HAS AGREED TO CONTRIBUTE ANOTHER 20 MILLION  
DOLLARS IN ADDITION TO THE PLEDGE IT HAS ALREADY MADE TO  
ASSIST IN THE ESTABLISHMENT OF THE INTERNATIONAL FUND  
FOR AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT (IFAD).

3. QUOTE-THE UNIQUE POSITION OF IRAN IN THIS REGARD  
HAS BEEN BROUGHT ABOUT BY THE SIGNIFICANCE WHICH  
SHE ATTACHES TO THE INCREASING DEVELOPMENT OF WORLD  
AGRICULTURE. AS YOUR EXCELLENCY IS NO DOUBT AWARE, IRAN'S  
STAND ON THIS SUBJECT IS IN CONTRAST TO THE ATTITUDE OF  
THE OECD COUNTRIES WHO HAVE NOT AGREED TO MAKE PROPORTION-  
ATA CONTRIBUTIONS TO THE FUND.

4. QUOTE-IT SHOULD BE APPRECIATED IF YOUR GOVERNMENT  
WOULD ARRANGE FOR THE NECESSARY PUBLICITY TO BE GIVEN IN  
YOUR PRESS TO IRAN'S INITIATIVE IN THIS CONNENCTION.

5. QUOTE-WITH HIGH ESTEEM AND KINDEST REGARDS, YOURS  
SINCERELY (SIGNED) ASSODOLLAH ALAM, MINISTER OF THE IMPERIAL  
COURT. UNQUOTE--END OF TEXT.

6. EMB IS UNCERTAIN AS TO TOTAL AMOUNTS, THROUGH OPEC,  
GOI HAS NO PLEDGED TO IFAD. OUR SOURCES WITHIN GOI,  
MOST OF WHOM ARE UNAWARE OF ABOVE LETTER FROM INI ALAM,  
GIVE US CONTRADICTORY INFORMATION ON THIS POINT. IF  
DEPT AT SOME POINT LEARNS FROM UN SECY GEN TOTAL GOI  
PLEDGE, EMB WOULD APPRECIATE RECEIVING THIS INFORMATION.  
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